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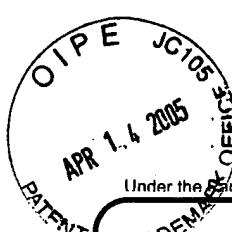
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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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<u>Application Type</u>	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

<u>Small Entity</u>	
Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
20	- 20 or HP = 0	x 0.00	= 0.00	Fee (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

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Title: METHOD FOR IMPROVED CONNECTION
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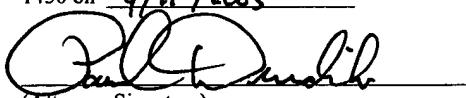
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This RESPONSE is in reply to the Office action mailed January 13, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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